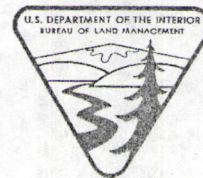




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JOHN HOLFERT  
PRESIDENT  
WORLD WIDE MINERAL & FOSSIL INC  
997 NORTH CHAPEL DR # 4  
BOUNTIFUL UT 84010



Dear Mr. Holfert:

This letter is to inform you that the Plan of Operation (Plan) you submitted to this office for your Solar Wind # 2 Claim, UTU-075879, located within the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SW $\frac{1}{4}$  and the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$  of Section 20, T. 11 W., R. 11 W. SLBM has been approved.

Before this plan was approved an Environmental Assessment (EA) was completed to assess if any significant impact on the human environment would result from your proposed operation. A Finding of No Significant Impacts was signed on January 20, 2000. In said EA, mitigating measures are stipulated and will need to be closely followed to keep you (John Holfert, World Wide Mineral & Fossil Inc.) from receiving a Notice of Noncompliance. A copy of said mitigations are enclosed with this letter for your files. Also included with this letter are maps of the disturbance and road attributed to your operation, and a general location of your mining site within the Thomas Range.

Our records indicate a Personal Cash Bond in the amount of \$1,200.00 was accepted on November 19, 1999 in our State Office to cover reclamation costs for the current disturbance attributed to the above mentioned mining operation. Reclamation Bonds may be increased or decreased at the discretion of the Authorized Officer when mining operations warrant such changes (explained in mitigations).

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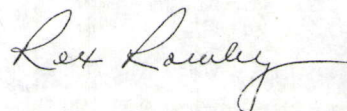
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As of the date of this letter, you are approved to proceed with the mining plan contained within said Plan, as long as you adhere to the above mentioned mitigations.

If you have any questions concerning this or any other matters, feel free to call Larry Garahana at (435) 743-3125, or me at (435) 743-3100.

Sincerely,



Rex Rowley  
Field Manager

Enclosures:

1. Mitigating Stipulations (3pg)
2. Maps (3pg)

cc: Tom Munson, UDOGM

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